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## 65 FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON HAPPENINGS

Pick up a copy of *ACCENTS* or go to [www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com) for more events and details. Please **"Refresh"**.

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### HOT HAPPENINGS WE HAVE WINNERS!



#### Grand Prizes

**Trip to Graciosa, air fare and hotel from Top Atlantico!**

**SSgt Rockey Sparks**

<https://secure.topatlantico.pt/ta/cong/lajesfss/index.html>

**Toshiba Laptop Computer—Embry Riddle University!** <http://www.erau.edu/>

**TSgt Jason Scott**

#### Second:

- CAC GamerZ (five rentals)  
**Alyssa Burns**
- Pet Bath Atlantic Island Kennel  
**Kimberly RiveraHague**
- Scuba Discovers  
**SSgt Dominique Bonapart**
- 50€ GiftCard—Buzios Restaurant  
**Rebekah Murphy**

#### All e-readers, compliments of the Base Library:

- Nook Tablet; **Marian Goodson**
- Kindle Fire; **David Amaya**
- Pandigital SuperNova Tablet; **Nick Suppes**
- Kobo Vox (tablet); **Brenda Saleem**
- Kindle Touch; **Melissa Schmidt**
- Sony WiFi; **Loren Graha**
- Kobo Touch; **Jai Rodriguez**
- Nook Simple Touch; **Susan Quick**

#### PLAY THE LAST ROUND FOR AN iPad 2!

**Special Edition—Play now to Sept 1.**

**The drawing will be at the Back to School Bash on Sept 1 at approximately 9 p.m.**

**You can play this round from your own computer OR at the Back to School Bash.**

#### Here's How it Works:

1. Log on to [www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com) and click on the SummerQuest banner.
2. Answer the FSS-related riddle.
3. Answer the bonus question for a chance to win the grand prize.
4. The computer will randomly select the winners from those with the correct answers.
5. The game is played through September 1.
6. Even if you win, you can play again!

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**7th Annual SQ BUILD-A-BOAT CHALLENGE**

**August 31, 2 p.m. Base Swimming Pool**

Register at the Community Center T-307 by August 17 COB.  
Open to all base squadrons, one team per squadron.  
Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place & the TITANIC award.

**COMMUNITY CENTER**

**535-5216**  
[www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com)  
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**BACK TO SCHOOL BASH**

**SATURDAY SEPT. 1 8 P.M.**

Grassy area across from Bldg. T-100

- Outdoor movie
- Bouncy castles
- Free hot dogs & chips

Bring blanket & chairs.

**Lajes SUMMER CAMPAIGN compliments of USAA**

Special Edition – Play from August 27 to Sept 1. The drawing is at approximately 9 p.m. A computer will be available next to the USAA table for those who want to play that night.

**USAA**

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Air Force Entertainment Presents

**TOPS IN BLUE**

**2012 WORLD TOUR**

**September 9**  
**7:30 p.m. - Green Hanger**

**topsinline.com**

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LAJES FIELD, AZORES, PORTUGAL  
No Federal Endorsement or Sponsorship Intended

Aug. 31, 2 p.m.; judging at 5 p.m. Drawing for prizes, compliments of USAA

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## NOW AT THE TORC!

### SUPER BOWL SUNDAYS

Begins Sept 9, 4 – 10 p.m.



Enjoy the game with friends and enter a drawing for a trip to one of two regular season games at the Super Bowl. Trips include airfare for two; hotel; car rental and tickets to the game. 535-2327.

### PLACES TO GO

Call **Outdoor Recreation**, 535-4140 for reservation information on these trips:

#### HEART OF ANGRA

Saturday, Sept. 1, 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person. Get cultured. Enjoy a guided tour through Angra's beautiful Cathedral and the Palace of the Captain's General. We'll visit the city museum and Sao Joao Baptista Castle. Top all this culture off with a great lunch.

#### JEEP ISLAND TOURS

Saturdays, Sept. 1 & 15, 9 a.m. \$55/person (5 hours) lunch is not included.  
Monday, Sept. 3 & Saturday, Sept. 22, 9 a.m. \$75/person (9 hours) lunch included. Meet at ODR 8:45 a.m., departure at 9 a.m.

Did you know that there are sponge plants on the island? And that the light in Praia is different from the light in Porto Martins? You will learn this and much more about the natural history of the island on this fantastic tour. Bring a sack lunch and enjoy eating it in a lovely setting that you won't be able to get to in your own car. You'll go to a Ramo Grande cow farm and milk one of these beautiful brown cows if you want. Min age is 8 years old.

For a personal perspective and details:

[www.lajesfss.com/outdoor-recreation/tour-articles-and-pictures-.html](http://www.lajesfss.com/outdoor-recreation/tour-articles-and-pictures-.html)

Check out these tour videos!

ODR Jeep Island Tours - Lagoon  
<http://youtu.be/etpMloALJSg>

ODR Jeep Island Tours - Picnic  
<http://youtu.be/qCj3pUYyGfw>

ODR Jeep Island Tours - Ramo Grande Cows  
<http://youtu.be/FAQDuLTTdYw>

ODR Jeep Island Tours - São Fernando Port  
<http://youtu.be/5iasaANf8i4>

#### BOTTOM FISHING

Saturday, Sept. 1, 8 a.m. \$72/person. Targeted species: Atlantic Wrasse, Blacktail Comber and Common Sea Bream. Fish in waters 100 ft or deeper.

#### CAVE EXPLORING

Saturday, Sept. 1, 3 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. \$15/person. Explore Gruta do Natal and Algar do Carvão. These "beginner" caves do not represent a challenge even if you are a bit claustrophobic, scared of the dark or not real sure of foot.

#### TROLLING TRIP

Sundays, Sept. 2 & 16, 8 a.m. \$72/person. Troll for Barracuda, Bluefish and Atlantic Bonito.

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## PRAIA WALKING TOUR

Monday, Sept. 3, 9 a.m. FREE! Learn the history and the key areas of this lovely town.

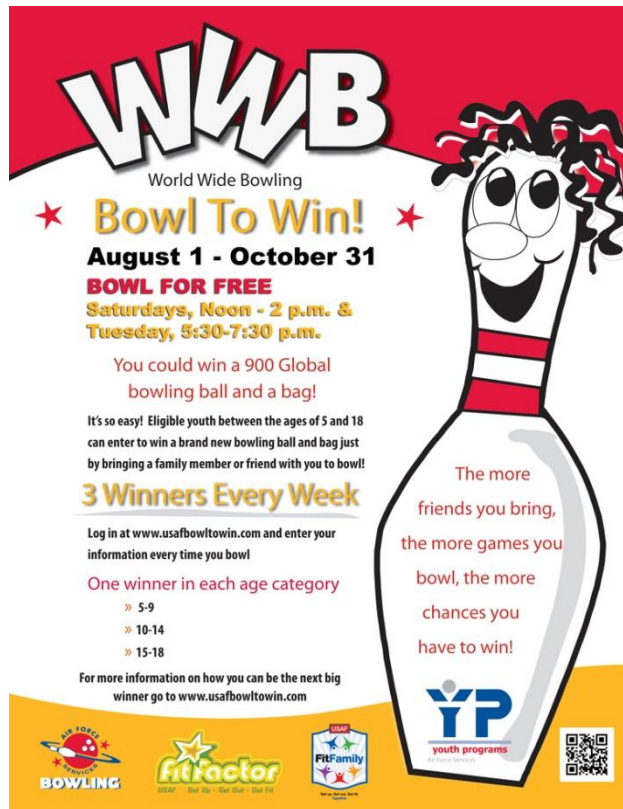
## SIGHT SEEING TO SPLIT ROCK

Monday, Sept. 3 & Saturday, Sept. 15, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. \$59/person. This trip takes you to Split-Rock and weather permitting; we'll embark on an inflatable dinghy and go inside the Split-Rock caves.

## FAITH, FISH, EARTH AND CHEESE

Saturday, Sept. 8, 9:30 a.m. \$39.95/person, 5-12 yrs \$20. Explore four elements of Azorean culture. First we'll visit a rustic pottery shop and learn the traditional production methods. Then on to Vaquinha Cheese Factory and taste three cheeses, one of which is delightfully spicy; followed by a seafood lunch in San Mateus. Here we'll also visit a beautiful church, enjoy the view of a quaint fishing harbor and sample the best Portuguese ice cream in Terceira. As a bonus, you'll take home a free round of cheese, compliments of Outdoor Recreation

## THINGS TO DO



**WLB**  
World Wide Bowling

★ **Bowl To Win!** ★  
**August 1 - October 31**  
**BOWL FOR FREE**  
Saturdays, Noon - 2 p.m. &  
Tuesday, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

You could win a 900 Global bowling ball and a bag!

It's so easy! Eligible youth between the ages of 5 and 18 can enter to win a brand new bowling ball and bag just by bringing a family member or friend with you to bowl!

**3 Winners Every Week**

Log in at [www.usabowltowin.com](http://www.usabowltowin.com) and enter your information every time you bowl!

One winner in each age category

- » 5-9
- » 10-14
- » 15-18

For more information on how you can be the next big winner go to [www.usabowltowin.com](http://www.usabowltowin.com)

The more friends you bring, the more games you bowl, the more chances you have to win!

**YP**  
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Military Services

**BOWLING**  
**fitractor**  
**FitFamily**

QR Code

**Register at the Youth Center-T-240, 535-3273.**

## FAMILY BOWLING

Sundays 12 - 7 p.m. Two hours of bowling for \$7/person every Sunday. Includes shoe rental. 535-6169.



**SIGN UP TODAY!**  
"THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS EVENT OF THE YEAR"

**Intramural BOWLING LEAGUE**  
**SEPTEMBER 13** (First Night of the League)  
**USBC SANCTIONED BOWLING LEAGUE**  
COMPETE FOR COMMANDER CUP POINTS, PRIZES OR JUST FOR FUN.

Register NLT Aug. 31 by contacting your squadron sports rep, the Lajes Park Lanes, 535-6169 or email [dustin.schmidt@lajes.af.mil](mailto:dustin.schmidt@lajes.af.mil)

**BOWLING** **Self-Start** **Fitness & Sports** **USBC** **FORCE**

## JACKPOT COLOR PIN

9 Pin No-Tap, Every Saturday 4 p.m.

- Color Pin Prizes
- High Series Earns Prizes
- Low Series Earns a Free Entry
- New Jackpot Options

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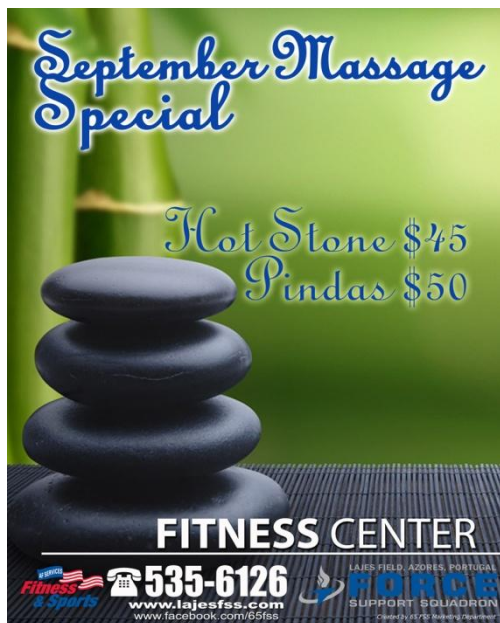
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## BINGO at the TORC

Wednesday, Aug 29, Club Ballroom. Card Sales at 6:30 p.m. Games at 7 p.m. Books of 10 Games, \$30. Single Sheets (3) Games,, \$1. Early Bird, \$2. 535-2327.

## 5K RUN

Friday, Aug 31, Show at 7 a.m. Run starts at 7:15 a.m. Fitness Center, 535-6126.



**September Massage Special**

Hot Stone \$45  
Pindas \$50

**FITNESS CENTER**

**535-6126**

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## FUN THINGS TO LEARN

Call Arts & Crafts to sign up for these classes at least three days prior to class, 535-3909:

### CAKE DECORATING CLASS

Wednesday, Sept. 5 & Thursday, Sept. 6, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. \$25/person. The pleasure you get from decorating your own cake is totally s-w-e-e-t. Bring your own kit or buy one from Arts & Crafts for \$13.95.

### PORTUGUESE COOKING - FISH ALCATRA

Wednesday, Sept. 6, 5:30 - 8 p.m. \$15/person. Learn the recipe and Alcatra cooking techniques. At the end, enjoy your meal.

### JASMIM-AROMATHERAPY "Scent-sational" Class

Saturday, Sept. 8, 2 - 4 p.m. \$18/person. Learn the art of essential oils and the power and pleasure of scents from a very talented instructor. Make your own facial mask, massage oil, and glycerin soap. Materials provided.

### METAL EMBOSING

Tuesday, Sept. 11 & Saturday, Sept. 22, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. \$25/person. Make lovely gifts such as picture frames, greeting cards. Materials provided.

## YOUTH & FAMILY

Family Involvement For CDC Families

PICTURE DAY Thursday, Sept. 6, 9 a.m.



**Teen Paintball**

**Sept. 9**

**1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

Registration and payment deadline Sept. 6

**\$10 includes:**

- 250 paintballs
- CO2
- Gun
- Gear

**Ages 13 - 18**

**Sign up at Youth Center**

**MEET AT OUTDOOR RECREATION @ 1 P.M.**

*A minimum of 8 participants are required*

**YOUTH CENTER**

**YP** **535-3273** [www.lajesfss.com](http://www.lajesfss.com)

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## SCHOOL/SCHOOL LIAISON OFFICE

### SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

Lajes Elementary/High School is hiring for substitute teachers. Applicants must apply through USAJobs with the Job Vacancy Number 12-MD-692333. Salary is \$50.50 for half day and \$101 for a full day. For more info, contact Jenny Breaux at DSN 535-4151 or 295-57-4151 or email: [Jennifer.Breaux@eu.dodea.edu](mailto:Jennifer.Breaux@eu.dodea.edu).

### HOME-SCHOOL PARENT MEETING

Thursday, Sep 6, 6 p.m., Solid Rock Oasis, Community Center. School Liaison Officer, Laurie Salafia, 535-5711,

### SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR MILITARY CHILDREN

Visit [www.MilitaryChild.org/parents-and-students/scholarships](http://www.MilitaryChild.org/parents-and-students/scholarships)

### PLANNING AHEAD

#### MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL COLLEGE FAIR

Now is the time to contact your college for free materials if you are interested in representing your college at our future College Fair. Contact Laurie Salafia at 535-5711. Free and Reduced Lunch Program/Bus Transportation

### FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH PROGRAM AND BUS TRANSPORTATION

applications are available at the school, the School Liaison office in building T-112 and at <http://www.lajesfss.com/About-Lajes--Newcomers/School-Liaison-Office.html>

Applications for both programs must be renewed each year.

### SCHOOL QUEST

Students can access information regarding college, find resources, share their experiences or ask questions about transitioning at <http://www.schoolquest.org> The website is for students age 13 and over and/or in grades 8-12. Students must be affiliated with the military or involved in the Student to Student program.

### ART AND WRITING OPPORTUNITY

Military students in grades 7-12 are invited to submit an original art piece or writing piece to compete for regional and national awards and scholarships. Registration will begin Sep 17, 2012. Students who are interested may register at [www.artandwriting.org](http://www.artandwriting.org)

### SCHOOL DATES

**Middle School Open House** (Grades 6-8), Wednesday, Aug 29, 2:45 p.m.

**High School Open House** (Grades 9-12), Thursday, Aug 30, 2:45 p.m.

**First Day of School for Kindergarten**, Tuesday, Sep 4

**First Day of School for Sure Start**, Thursday, Sep 13.

If you have any questions, contact the school main office 535-4151/3357 or the School Liaison Office, Laurie Salafia, 535-5711.

## AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS

### COUNSELING

Child and Youth Behavioral Military and Family Life Consultant, (CYB-MFLC) 969-651-065 and Military & Family Life Consultant (MFLC), 967-435-590 or 535-3529. **Call 535-4138 to register for all workshops**

**MILITARY & FAMILY LIFE CONSULTANT** **MFLC**

Are available to help service members, spouses, family members, children and staff address:

**Deployment/Reintegration Support, Marriage and Relationship Issues, Stress and Anxiety, Depression, Grief and Loss, Daily Life Issues.**

Consultations are free and anonymous. No records are kept.  
(Exceptions to confidentiality include duty to warn cases and PRP disqualifiers.)

**535-3529**

### SPONSORSHIP TRAINING

Sponsorship training is now conducted via the new eSponsorship Application & Training (e-SAT) on-line website, <http://apps.mhf.dod.mil/esat>. Also check out the 65 FSS website at <http://www.lajesfss.com>. Click on "About Lajes/Newcomers".

For info contact your Unit Training Monitor or A&FRC.

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## TRANSITION WORKSHOP

*Change is inevitable*

*Change is manageable*

**AUG 30 12 Noon**

*Learn how to manage change  
and smooth out the rough  
edges of life's transitions.*

**A&FRC, Bldg T-126  
RSVP: Give us a call**



**AIRMAN & FAMILY READINESS CENTER**



**535-4138**  
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## JUMP START YOUR EDUCATION

### ARNOLD EDUCATION GRANT – AFAS

AF Aid Society announces the 2013-2014 Education. Online applications for the 2013-2014 academic year Gen. H.H. Arnold Education Grant will be available at [www.afas.org](http://www.afas.org), after Nov 1.

### LEAD BRIEFINGS

Members interested in applying to the US Air Force Academy should attend a briefing on Wed. **Sep 19 at 3-4 p.m.** or Thurs **Sep 20 at 10-11 a.m.** in the Education Center Auditorium. Call 535-3355 for more information. Visit the USAFA website for application: [www.academyadmissions.com](http://www.academyadmissions.com)

### SOAR

Packages due at USAFE on **Sep 1**. Call Maria at 535-5291. Members interested in applying should go to [http://www.au.af.mil/au/holmcenter/AFROTC/EnlistedComm/SOAR\\_Apply.asp](http://www.au.af.mil/au/holmcenter/AFROTC/EnlistedComm/SOAR_Apply.asp)

### DISCOVER CAREER PLANNING PROGRAM

Online career planning tool will **end Sep 30**. For a free token to sign in call Maria at 535-5291.

### UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

On-site fall course, CORE, Theoretical Foundations, Sep 11-16. Contact Christina: [aplajes@ou.edu](mailto:aplajes@ou.edu) or 535-3171.

### UMUC – WRITING CLASS

Coming in OCT – WRTG101s for CCAF & UMUC. No placement test required. See Scott or call 535-4187.

### CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE

Onsite Criminal Justice and Kinesiology classes available with minimum 8 students sign-up. For admissions and more info, contact Paul at 535-6722 or [lajes@europe.ctcd.edu](mailto:lajes@europe.ctcd.edu). See <http://online.ctcd.edu/schedule/schedule.cfm> for online class schedules.

### FREE PORTUGUESE CULTURE COURSE

Portuguese and Culture Course. Email [portugueseculturalcourse@hotmail.com](mailto:portugueseculturalcourse@hotmail.com) for more information for next start date.

### ENGLISH CLEP PREP-PROGRAM

Need a boost to pass the ENGLISH CLEP? Call Darlene at 535-3355 to sign up for the next prep class.

### GED – PAPER TESTING ENDS Sep 30

Last time to take the GED at a DANTES test site is Sep 30. Call 535-3355 for information. Starting Oct 1. GED will change to reimbursement only basis for active duty members at a computer based site.

### EMBRY RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY

Online classes begin Sep 13. Registration open. MATH 111 College Mathematics in Aviation I, **Oct 15– Dec 16** through EagleVision Classroom. The \$50 application fee is waived for all active-duty until Sept 30! For more information, e-mail [lajesfield@erau.edu](mailto:lajesfield@erau.edu) or call 727-2984.

### LEAP

Deadline for applications for Fall 2012 LEAP selection board is Aug 31. To apply go to [www.culture.af.mil/leap](http://www.culture.af.mil/leap)

### NATIONAL TEST CENTER

The NTC offers computer-based exams: CLEP, DSST (including Speech), Excelsior and PearsonVue (professional licensures and certifications). Mon, Wed and Fri 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

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## LOVE AFTER WAR


Thursday, Sept 13, Education Center Auditorium, Noon to 1 p.m.

This presentation offers information that can be applied to couples wanting to reconnect after any life's event and insights into new ways to relate to your spouse.



**Strategies for Reconnecting after Deployment**

Join us for a discussion with noted Psychologist,  
**Dr. Chad Johnson**



**Thursday, September 13  
1200-1300  
Education Center Auditorium**

## NAF JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Nonappropriated Fund positions are available to US military, US Civilians, their spouses and dependents on command sponsored orders. All applicants must be US citizens or citizens of a NATO country. Applicants must be 18 and over. All positions require background checks.

### Marketing Assistant-Graphic Artist

NF-II, \$8.71 + DOE (Depending on experience)

Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits

Vacancy closing date: Open until filled.

### Operations Clerk (OA) NTE 6 months, CDC

NF-II, \$8.71

Flex Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits

Vacancy closing date: Open until filled

For more info: <http://www.lajesfss.com/Human-Resources-Office.html>

### Recreation Assistant (Auto Hobby Shop)

NF-0189-II, (T-424)

Flexible Position, no guaranteed hours or benefits

Closing date: Open until filled.

To apply go to [www.nafjobs.org](http://www.nafjobs.org) or call HRO, 535-6582 or go to Bldg T-112, Room 203. 535-6582



## PAW PRINTS

### DOGGY PLAY DAYS

Every Saturday, 10 a.m., the SFS softball field. Big/rowdy dogs come out to play the first, third, and fourth Saturday. The second Saturday is reserved for small (under 20 lbs or not hyper/fast moving) dogs. Water and doggy bags are provided. 535-3855.

### TIP Itch! Scratch! Ouch!

Are your pets itching and scratching, but there is no sign of fleas? They may just have dry skin. Try booking a grooming appointment. Your friendly kennel staff will wash them with oatmeal shampoo and finishing them off with a spritz of soothing oatmeal-aloe spray that will leave them smelling fresh and clean. If dry skin isn't the issue, we can wash them with Dial anti-microbial soap- this helps to sooth any bacterial or fungal issues that some pets can have while on the island. We wash cats, too!

The Atlantic Island Kennel will soon offer a full service pet salon for all your pets grooming needs. Our professional groomer services include baths, nails, teeth cleaning, anal gland expressing, breed specific haircuts, trims, and shaves!

Call the kennel to book your pets' spa day at 535-3855.

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## TASTY THINGS

Oceanview September Specials

### PEPPERONI PIZZA BURGER

8oz patty, covered w/ pizza sauce, mozzarella & pepperoni

**\$7.55**



**535-3387**



### Mediterranean Hot & Spicy Pizza 16"

**\$17.95**



Tuna, basil leaves, red bell peppers & crush red peppers

**535-3387**



## LOOKING AHEAD

### DOGGY DAZE OF SUMMER

**BASE POOL  
SEPT 23 6 P.M.**



**FREE DOG TREATS**

**BABY POOL OPEN FOR SMALL DOGS**

**FRIENDLY DOGS WELCOME TO GO OFF LEASH**

**FREE**

**Atlantic Island KENNELS**



**535-3855**

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## THINGS WORTH NOTING

### OCEANVIEW GRILL CLOSURE

The Oceanview Grill will be closed on Friday, September 14 from 7 a.m.-2 p.m. for training.